



ROBLEY REX VA MEDICAL CENTER

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Louisville Replacement VA Medical Center Project – Fact Sheet

Past:

- **2004**—VA conducts Capital Asset Realignment and Enhanced Services (CARES) study. Louisville VA Medical Center (VAMC) is found to have significant deficiencies.
- **2009**—VA completes feasibility study, and finds the Louisville VAMC needs to be replaced.
- **2010**—VA Site Selection Board selects top three sites.
- **2012**—After thorough analysis of all sites, VA buys land for a new VAMC on Brownsboro Road and completes a Final Master Plan.
- **2014**—Schematic Designs are developed through collaborative efforts between teams of Smithgroup Architects and Engineers (A&E), VA Construction and Facilities Management (CFM), and Robley Rex VAMC Leadership, Department Supervisors, Program Managers and Employees. The designs were approved, and VA CFM issued a Notice to Proceed into the next set of design phases beginning in 2015.

Present:

- **2015** --Consistent with the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), VA commissioned a “Site Specific” Environmental Assessment (SEA) to analyze potential environmental impacts of project details, not available during the Programmatic Environmental Assessment (PEA) performed in 2012. Environmental analysis continues at the site.
- **2015** –Teams from A&E, CFM, and Robley Rex VAMC continue to meet in “user group meetings” developing more detailed designs for the replacement medical center. Design Development Phase 1 was completed in the spring; phase two began this fall.

Future:

- **2015-2016**—User group meetings with VAMC staff, Activation Team, Construction Facilities Management, and Architects and Engineers continue in order to design the safest, most efficient and effective spaces possible for Veteran care.
- **2017**—Design phases end and construction begins (subject to Congressional approval and available funding)
- **2023-24**—Anticipated Grand Opening of the Louisville VA Replacement Medical Center.

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